ANTHONY COMSTOCK IN

It Is Alleged That He Accepted a "Donation" of \$1,000.

LEXOW SESSIONS ARE LIVELY

Two Witnesses Testify That Mr. Com stock Secured the Dismissal of an Indictment Against Green Goods Dealer-Lively Sensations.

By the United Press.

New York, Dec. 27 .- When the session of the committee opened this morning, Police Captains Meakim, Washburn and Westervelt were called, but none of them answered to their names and they were all reported to be sick.

Inspector Williams was then called and put through a scathing ordeal by Mr. Goff. Mr. Goff showed that Williams had been charged with stealing stockings from a woman; that he allowed disorderly houses to run unmolested in the district in which he was captain; that he was called a uniformed bully, and the champion clubber of the New York police force, Williams grew excited several times while his record was being mercilessly exposed, and denied them vehemently or plausibly excused himself for most of the things charged against him. After recess, Louis S. Street was

sworn. He said he was indicted on June 20, 1889, for a felony in connec tion with green goods. There were two indictments found

against you?" asked Mr. Goff. "Yes, sir," replied the witness.

Now, were you in the green goods in regard to the Carnegle affair: business?"

"No, sir." "Had you any connection with the CR86 ?"

"No, sir." The witness then explained that a

man of the name of Edward Beckthold rented an office from him at 76 Beekman street. "Anthony Comstock," said he, "came to my office a month after and asked me to tell the name of the man who rented the office. I refused to tell, was brought to the Tombs, and held in \$5,000 bail for making green goods." The witness further said that Beck-

thold gave \$10,000 as ball for him. The ball was finally reduced to \$3,000 and Street was released from the Tombs. "Beckthold told me," said the wit-

ness, "he gave \$1,500 to Anthony Comstock to square an indictment in the United States court." The witness also said that he went to

Europe and when he returned the state court indictment was still hanging over

A Donation for Comstock.

went to see Anthony Comstock.' said he, "and he said he was the only man who could get the indictments dismissed. I called to see Mr. Comstock again in August, 1890, and I paid him \$1,000 in cash to get the state court indictments dismissed. He said when he was taking the money: "Remember you are not giving me this \$1,000 as a bribe, but as a donation to the society." This testimony created a sensation in

"Now, are you sure you paid this money to Anthony Comstock?" "I swear before God and man I nold

fhim \$1,000 to have the indictments dismissed and to secure my liberty."

Mr. Goff offered in evidence the two original indictments, which had been dismissed, as the indorsement showed. "How does this relate to our inquiry?" Asked Chairman Lexow.

"It is very material," replied Mr. Goff, "as I shall proceed to show." He showed that the indictments had been dismissed on Sept. 30, 1890, by Recorder Smyth, whose initials were

signed on the back, on the recommendation of the district attorney. "Who was the district attorney? asked the chairman.

"Colonel Fellows," replied Mr. Goff, "at least his name appears on the pa-The witness said he had never been

tried on these indictments, but that Comstock had subsequently had him indicted on the same charge and the case was now pending on appeal to the United States supreme court.

Comstock, the witness said, compelled him to swear to an affidavit which he knew to be false on the threat of bringing up the United States court indictment against him. The witness told a rambling story of his dealings with Comstock and Beckthold, and finally stated that Heckthold had informed him that he had given \$1,000 each to Comstock and Assistant District Attorney Mort to get the original indictment dismissed.

Mr. Goff stopped the witness here and moved that his testimony about what Beckthold had said to him touching the payment of this money be stricken from the record.

Wrote to Mr. Cleveland.

Street went on to tell about his sec and indictment, but Mr. Goff stopped his, too. Then witness said he had written to President Cleveland, confessing all about his relations with Comstock, and had received a letter in

He was again stopped, when he produced the letter which he said was only from the president's private secretary, and was merely an acknowledgement of the one he had sent.

Street tried to tell what Judge Benedict, of the United States circuit court, had done when he heard that he (Street) had written to President Cleveland, but he was shut off here, too, although Senator Bradley wanted to see the

Robert Street, a hotel keeper of Tuxedo, and a brother of the last witness, was then called.

"Did you visit Anthony Comstock's office with your brother in August. 1890?" asked Mr. Goff.

"Yes sir."

"What did you see?" "I saw my brother pay \$1,000 to Anthony Comstock. There was an agreement between them to get the indictments dismissed. I gave my brother

Mr. Goff then said that they had evidence that the police had protected green goods men long ago. "We have new evidence," said he, "if the testi-mony is true, that Anthony Comstock,

burg, was shot and may die. the president of a private society, has accepted money for substantially the same thing as the police accepted it."

Colonel William B. Zeigler, ex-sheriff that the elevated roads here were about and jury commissioner-elect, died sudtonated to adopt an electric motor for use on denly at his residence at Huntingdon of their lines. He said there was absolutely "That's a pretty heavy indictment apoplexy. He was 80 years old.

against Mr. Comstock, if it is true," said Chairman Lexow. The last witness corroborated all his

brother's story as to the interview with

Mr. Comstock. NEW SHELL PERFECTED.

Washington Inventor Produces a Nove Implement of Warfare.

By the United Press. Washington, Pa., Dec. 27.-James S. Wolf, machinist, of this place, has perfected a shell which, if it fulfills all that is claimed for it by its inventor would revolutionize warfare. On Christmas night he made his first test on the Washington and Jefferson Athletic grounds in the presence of a few spec-tators. The shell was exploded by a fuse and ascended to a height of about forty feet, exploding when it reached the ground, and burning flercely for twenty minutes. The shell is a double one. Mr. Wolf claims that it will throw more missiles than a single one, requiring but one half the powder that

would be necessary for a single one. Its inventor also claims that one or two of these shells fired into a city would completely destroy the latter and that it would demoralize any army into which it fell; that it can be fired from any mortar and timed to explode as says, would cost but 25 cents if the ingredients he has discovered are used.

THE SETTLEMENT FINAL.

Secretary Herbert Authorizes a Statement By the United Press.

Washington, Dec. 27.-Secretary Herbert authorizes the following statement

Mr. Carnegie came into my office and said he had seen my testimony before the naval committee of the senate and indicated that if the matter was to go on he would make a proposition to do anything that was fair. I told ihm that the newspapers had only published a portion of my

A canal hoat was blown ashore and statement before the committee. I stated to him the substance of what that evidence was. I told him the testimony had been published by the senate committee that he could get a copy of it; that I had given it as my opinion that the Quay amendment providing the \$100,000 should be returned to his company in case the plates named should pass the ballistic test ought not to pass; that that fine was not imposed on the idea that the plates would not stand the ballistic tests, although on this point I might be mis-taken. I further said that whether the plates stood that test or not I did not think he was entitled to the money be-cause the fine had been imposed upon the company upon the ground that it had made plates as much better than what friends to the printed testimony, and they left without making to me any proposition, and without saying anything about suing the government.
I told Mr. Carnegie that so far as the de-

tlement of the question of damages, SHOT AT THREE PERSONS.

August Permontier, a Demented Frenchman, Wounds Two of His Intended Victims and Then Commits Suicide. By the United Press.

New Castle, Pa., Dec. 27.—At Eliwood last night August Permontier, a Frenchman, employed at the Peerless Lamp for their lives. Chimney factory, and a boarder at the residence of James Meister, attempted triple murder and then killed himself. Permontier has for several days acted queerly. At 10 o'clock last night he went to the second floor of his boarding house and without warning shot twice at the youngest Miss Melster a girl of 16 years of age. Fortunately his aim was untrue, and the intended victim escaped injflury.

Permontier then ran down the stairs and shot another of Meister's daughters, who is 18 years old. The shot entered her left breast, inflicting a very dangerous wound, which may cause death. Robert Charles, another boarder, tried to overpower the demented would be assassin, and was also dangerously shot, the bullet entering his Permontier then went out to grain. the front porch and fired a shot through his head. Death was instantaneous. Permontler was 26 years of age. Nothing of his history is known.

RECEIPTS WERE ATTACHED.

Col. Breckinridge Lectures at Cincinnati to an Audience of 250.

By the United Press, Cincinnati, O., Dec. 27.-Colonel house tonight on "Eras of American Development and Their Great Men."

He had an audience of 250, seventybut was received with little enthusiasm. In the midst of it a rumor spread over the house that the door receipts had been attacked by Miss Pollard, but this proved a mistake. The receipts were the New England and Canadian coasts attached, but it was by a local notary public to secure a \$500 fee for taking a deposition for Desha Breckinridge in his father's case.

When the constable served the writ, Desha Breckinridge got obstreperous and he was struck on the jaw by the By the United Press. constable. For a time the scene looked squally, but outsiders separated the

Kid Lavigne Discharged.

By the United Press. New Orleans, Dec. 27 .- Kid Lavigne and party were discharged this morning by Judge Aucoln on the finding of the coroner's jury that Bowen, the prize fighter, had met his doath by concussion of the brain produced by striking the unpadded

KEYSTONE VIGNETTES.

The Schuylkill county ice crop promises to be early and very abundant.

The State Horticultural association will meet in Reading on Jan. 15 and 16 next. An execution for \$19,225 was issued yesterday against J. K. Rauch, a Bethlehem

A movement is on foot in Pittsburg to improve the present jury system by get-ting a better class of men as jurors. The people of Cumberland county have sent a \$500 carload of clothing and provisions to the suffering people of Kan-

In saving her husband from being the victim of a bullet from Daniel Herron's revolver, Mrs. Robert Johnson, of Pitts-

THE BLIZZARD'S PATHWAY

Havoc Created by the Storm at Various Points.

DAMAGE IN CITY OF CAMDEN

Houses Unroofed, Trees Uprooted and Canal Boats and Schooners Blown Ashore-Narrow Escape from Death. The Gale at Other Points.

By the United Press. Camden, N. J., Dec. 27.-The storm in this vicinity was the most severe since the cyclone of 1886. Electrical wires of all descriptions were torn from their fastenings and poles were blown down by the high wind. Market street, one of the principal thoroughfares, was literally blocked with the debris until late in the day. Mayor Westcott this morning formally requested the Camden Lighting and Heating company to not operate its electric lighting plant tonight because of the risk of fire or loss of life should the current be turned on and the plant was accordingly shut To fire an 8-inch shell, he down. The city was practically in darkness tonight.

At Seventh and Birch streets seven two-story houses were unroofed, and several of the inmates were injured by falling bricks and plaster. Mr. and Mrs. William Shirley, who reside in one of the houses, had a narrow escape in Reference to the Famous Carnegie from death. They were awakened from their slumber by the chimney crashing through the roof and almost burying them beneath the wreckage. Both were rescued badly hurt.

Trees by the score were uprooted in different sections of the city. The base ball ground looks like the breastworks of a fort after a heavy cannonade, huge sections of the fence on every side being

upset in the Delaware river at the head of North Third street, and a three-mast schooner was blown ashore at the same place: At Cooper's Point several small boats were torn loose from their moorotherwise injured.

plates as much better than what tests indicated as it could have of the gale was not severe beyond that the old man. The murderers then pills to the printed testimony and his point. The Gale on the Coast.

east gale of last night raised a sea parties. which beat with tremendous force partment was concerned the payment of against shore defences. In two other that fine was considered as a final set- places the tide swept over Poverty named Will Carter. Beach, submerging the meadows. Train service to Five Mile Beach is

> Union company are down. The damage to the shore is small, owing to the wind shifting to the westward. A story reaches here that a large

morning in the rigging clinging to it

Course of the Storm.

Philadelphia, Dec. 27.-The storm of snow, sleet and rain, which was borne up from the south by a fierce gale last night, covered a wide expanse of country and played havoc with the wires, interrupted train service and brought much discomfort to the residents of the cities in its track. The storm started early yesterday morning in the southern states and spread westward as it advanced northward, until the entire country from Chicago to New York and from Alabama to the Canadian provinces was in its grip. This morning the storm was central off the New Jersey coast and has moved rapidly northeastward.

The telegraph service to points outside of Philadelphia was badly interrupted, but tonight the linemen are rapidly replacing the lost wires. Reports received from every section of the state show that the snow fall was very heavy and some parts it was still snowing tonight. The heavy fall of snow in the state delayed train service n most of the railroads and the trolley systems in the different towns and cities was greatly interfered with.

So far the only casualty reported was the freezing to death of an unknown Breckinridge spoke at the Pike Opera man, whose body was found in the streets of New York this morning. The storm will indirectly bring much suffering to the miners in the Hazleton disfive of whom were women. His lecture trict, as the collieries were compelled was flowery and pleasing to the ear, to shut down, and it is approximately estimated that some 20,000 men and boys will be thrown temporarily out of work.

Tonight the storm is raging along and it is snowing heavily.

THE STORY A FAKE.

Mexican Desperadoes Are as Gentle a Maltese Kittens.

City of Mexico, Dec. 27.-Oaxaca telegrams published in the United States announceing consternation on the frontier and that the people of Chiapas are fleeing from Guatemalan desperadoes are wholly without confirmation. Officials on the frontier announce everything quiet, and very few Guatemalan troops on the frontier, while Mexican troops are doing nothing but drilling. The "norther" is abating on the Gulfbut it is feared that some of the fishing boats which were out are lost with their

State Tax Cases Decided.

By the United Press. Harrishurg, Dec. 27.—Two state tax cases were decided by the Dauphin county ourt today. In the case against the court today. In the case against the American Water Works and Guaranteo company, limited, judgment is given the commonwealth in the sum of \$8,436. In the case against the J. P. Morris company judgment is directed to be entered for the commonwealth in the sum of \$29,762,

No Truth in the Report.

By the United Press. New York, Dec. 27.-Colonel F. K. Hain, general manager of the Manhattan Elevated lines, was asked today as to the truth of a report from Pittsburg, Pa.,



Scranton's Latest Hold-Up.

TRACKED BY BLOODHOUNDS An Indian Murderer Overtaken and

Hanged in a Swamp. BULLETS FOR HIS PARTNER

Two Desperadoes Who Murder an Aged Merchant Are Lynched by a Party of Indignant Neighbors of the Unfortunate Victims.

Meridian, Miss., Dec. 27 .- News of the ings and have not been recovered, while foul murder of an old man, followed by several steam launches were capsized a double lynching, has just reached or sunk. Other vessels in that locality here from Winston county. Jake Copp, had their masts blown away and were 75 years old, a highly respectable citizen, together with his aged wife, lived Henry J. Klosslerman, a well known near Perkinsville, a small village where

ousiness man, was struck by a falling they conducted a country mercantile tree this morning while walking along store. At 12 o'clock Saturday night Broadway and had a leg broken. The two shots were fired through the winit and the residence. Indignant neigh-Cape May, N. J., Dec. 27 .- The south- bors were soon in search of the guilty

Suspicion pointed to a negro named Dan McDonald and a half-breed Ind

They lived fifteen miles from the scene, but there was soon found sufsuspended. The wires of the Western ficient evidence to connect them with Director May had used three. For the the crime. When Carter felt assured that the murderers would be discovered tors averaged, over \$500 each. Dr he joined the pursuers and showed ex- O'Hara, the almshouse physician, contraordinary energy in directing them to three-masted schooner is ashore at McDonald's house. When McDonald age in the hospital and insane depart-Stone Harbor, Seven Mile Beach, and saw the armed men at his gate he ran ments and said that trained nurses that the crew were seen early this into the house and closed the door be- would cost less and be better in every hind him. Several shots were fired way. without effect, but he was shot down while attempting to make his escape by a rear door across a cotton field. His against Steward Hartman by Lizzzle body was riddled with bullets. Some O'Brien, of the stolen merchandise and the gun and pistol with which Copp was murdered were recovered at McDonald's house. His wife declared that Carter. the half-breed, had accompanied her husband and assisted in the murder of By the United Press,

Copp and the robbing of his store. Carter, after being pursued into a swamp, where, under the cover of night, he made a temporary escape, was run Fillmore avenue. The building was oc down by bloodhounds, and captured after a chase through three counties in an outhouse on an Indian's place in Neshoba county. He was securely bound and caried in the direction of brick block extending from Fillmore Winston county, where in a swamp he was hanged.

CAUGHT BY THE TIDE.

Perilous Predicament of Parties Attending a Funeral Who Were Overtaken by the Water on Atlantic City Meadows.

By the United Press. Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 27.-In going rival. across the meadows 'his morning, a funeral bearing the body of a shild was caught by the rapid rise of the tide and the mourners were compelled to abandon the hearse. In attempting to regain the road the horses became unmanageable and had to be cut loose to prevent the carriages from being overturned, and the mourners were compelled to take to the tops of the vehicles to get out of the reach of the rising water. They suffered acutely from the stinging cold and wind.

A special train was sent to their assistance, but had to return for life boats to reach the imperilled people. They were safely brought to this city about 2 o'clock this afternoon

WASHINGTON SMALLPOX. Four Colored Persons Sent to the Pest house.

By the United Press. Washington, Dec. 27 .- Four new cases of smallpox were discovered here yesterday and several other persons are under suspicion of having the disease. All the victims are colored people, living in the alleys and small streets near the government printing office, the locallty where most of the previous cases have existed. They have all been sent to the pest-house and their houses and belongings quarantined.

There is some fear of a further spread of the disease, as those taken ill with it have been riding around town in public conveyances."

TREASURY AGENT'S PISTOL. San Francisco Laundrymen Bring Charge of Attempt to Murder.

By the United Press. San Fransisco, Dec. 27,-Major A. C. McLaughlin, special agent of the treasury, was charged with assault with intent to commit murder and assault with a deadly weapon in the police court yesterday. The charges resulted from a shooting affray which followed an attempt by McLaughlin to arrest two young laundrymen with whom he was riding on a street car. McLaugh-lin drew his revolver, and during a teen shots were exchanged, and all were lin drew his revolver, and during a scrimmage, in which he contended wounded, the woman the most dangeragainst the two laundrymen and the ously.

car conductor, he fired two shots, neither of which took effect. After making their escape the men swore out warrants for the treasury agent's arrest. They charged that the action was wholly without warrants. On the other hand, McLaughlin alleges that the two

terfeiters of Chinese registration certificates, and that one of them has a quantity of bogus certificates in his McLaughlin is endeavoring to have

men were in league with a ring of coun

SCANDAL AT POTTSNILLE.

the charges heard before the federal

Lizzie O'Brien's Charges Are Not Corroborated but Much Other Interesting Testimony Is Heard in Almshouse Case. By the United Press.

Pootsville, Pa., Dec. 27.-This was the third day of the almshouse scandal investigation. Ex-Stewards Elljah stopped progress in the sale of bonds Emerick and Louis Brown were ex- for the account of the 5 per cent, bond amined and both testified that the stewardship was usually sold to the highest bidder, and Brown said he had heard that \$500 had been paid so that Hartman could have the position this and the number of peculiar suggeslaged the store and attempted to burn year. It was also shown that the sal- tions made by certain government offiaries and whiskey bills amounted to cials and members of congress, it is nearly \$15,000, or nearly one-half of the said, has weakened the market for govtotal sum used in the running of the ernment bonds generally, and the price

almshouse. Clark O'C. Ebling had used up five mileage books' figure. this year at a cost of \$100. Director Derr had used five mileage books, and year to date the expenses of the direcdemned the system of political patron-

There was nothing brought out today to corroborate the charges preferred

BIG FIRE AT BUFFALO. Business Portion of the City Visited by a

\$300,000 Blaze. Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 27.-Fire occurred tonight in the three-story brick building at the corner of Broadway and

cupied by Eckhardt & Co., Oswald Tinkler and Charles Weisman as stores The fire spread over the whole block and across Broadway to the three-story avenue to Gibson street, burning out John H. Eckhardt, furniture: Atlantic and Pacific Tea company's store; Frost's grocery, Cobler's furnishing goods, Kakur's real estate offic and Stover's

grocery. The loss will reach \$300,000. Owing to frozen hydrants it was thirty minutes before the firemen could turn a stream of water on the flames after their ar

REVOLVER WARNED THEM. Remarkable Escape of the Lefevre Family

By the United Press. York, Pa., Dec. 27.-The dwelling of Jacob Lefevre, five miles east of this city, was destroyed by fire about 1 o'clock this morning. The house was occupied by a family of six, who were forced out into the snow storm bare footed and in their night clothing. Mr

from Cremation.

and Mrs. Lefevre were painfully burned while escaping. The entire family would have been burned to death, but for a remarkable circumstance. A loaded revolver in a bed room was discharged by the heat of the fire, which awakened the family just in time to escape.

Football Tabooed.

By the United Press. Indianapolis, Dec. 27.—The presidents of colleges in this state at a meeting held in this city, decided to prohibit inter-col-legiate foot ball games henceforth. Exhibition sports of any kind only will be

MINOR WIRINGS.

Fifty-four indictments for alleged elecion frauds were found by a St. Louis grand jury. The right of way for a trolley road has

been bought from Merced, Cal., to the Yosemite valley. Arrested for burglary, Mrs. Rietta Pike, of Denver, has confessed and pleaded poverty as excuse.

Milwaukee authorities have located in Paris the defaulting librarian, A. K. Linderfelt, who stole \$10,000. The funeral of Sir John Thompson whose body is now crossing the ocean will be held at Hallfax Jan. 3.

After a year's mysterious absence, Jo-

seph Borghen, aged 18, of Cincinnati, re-turned home on Christmas evening. After being locked up five days withou agree ig on the cases of Kane and Trit-fer illeged boodle councilmen of New cans, the jury was discharged. Charles Carson found his wife with J.

BOND SYNDICATE NO MORE

Carlisle's Currency Suggestions Cause Stagnation in the Market.

CANNOT BE SOLD AT A PROFIT

New York Bankers Who Expected to Real ize a Handsome Sum Off the United States Bonds Recently Issued, Are Obliged to Keep Them.

New York, Dec. 27.-The banking firm in charge of the government bond syndicate has sent out the following notice to members:

"The action of the United States treasury on currency questions having for the account of the 5 per cent. bond syndicate, and the period of thirty days mentioned in the notice of Nov. 2 having expired, the syndicate is dissolved. The aghtation about currency reform

for the new fives has in consequence been depressed below the syndicat The syndicate disposed of 35 per cent of the issue and the remaining 65 per cent, was divided among the members Vice-President Garland, of the First National bank, when seen this morning. confirmed the news that the bond syn-

dicate had been dissolved. A Break in the Prices. "The dissolution of the syndicate," he said, "will not cause any break in prices. The break has already come.

There will not be any further change in "In dissolving the syndicate the parties to it took into consideration the unsettlement of the market for bonds. due to the offering to congress of the currency plan of Secretary Carlisle, which, by its provision, would have compelled the national banks to dispose of at least \$200,000,000 in bonds on or before 313 SPRUCE ST., SCRANTON, PA. July 1, 1895. With such a possible block of bonds to come on the market the question of continuing the agree-

ment to hold the bonds was* not even thought of." Mr. Garland said that the amount of bonds which the syndicate intended to dispose of to the public, and which were still unsold, aggregated about \$20.

The dissolution of the syndicate simply means that each member of the syndicate will take his proportion of the bonds and dispose of them as he

pleases. ATLAN TIC BALL LEAGUE. red Sullivan Organizing a Circuit to In-

clude Pennsylvania. By the United Press. New Haven, Conn., Dec. 27,-Ted Sullivan, formerly manager of the Washington Base Ball team, is in town oday in the interest of the Atlantic eague, and the prospects are that a club will be formed here.

two to be located in Pennsylvania, two in New Jersey and four in Connecticut

The league is to consist of eight teams

PARSONAGE BURNED. Residence of Rev. Mr. Mills, of Wilkes-Barre Memorial Church, Destroyed.

By the United Press.

iours daily.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 27.-The par sonage of the Memorial church of this city was destroyed by fire today. The loss on building will reach \$8,000, cov by insurance. The loss to Rev. Mr. Mills, pastor of

the church, on furniture is estimated at

Gladstone in Good Health. By the United Press. London, Dec. 27.-In anticipation of Mr. lladstone's birthday which comes on Dec. 29, the Daily News has gathered the latest information as to his physical condition. It learns that he is in almost perfect health and is able to read ten or twelve

Will Go to Pittsburg. By the United Press.

Harrisburg, Dec. 27.—At the morning session of the State Music Teachers' as-

Earthquakes at Skilly. By the United Press. Rome, Dec. 27 .- Sicily has suffered from evere earthquakes in the last twentyfour hours and much damage is reported to have been done. Messina and Milazzo

felt the shocks most keenly Last King of Naples Dead. By the United Press.
Vienna, Dec. 27.—Francis II, the last king of Naples, or the Two Sicilies, died at Arco today, aged 58 years.

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